

DRAFT**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF

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FOR

**ZERO VOLATILE ORGANIC
COMPOUND COMPOSITIONS BASED
UPON ORGANIC SOLVENTS WHICH
ARE NEGLIGIBLY REACTIVE WITH
HYDROXYL RADICAL AND DO NOT
CONTRIBUTE APPRECIABLY TO
THE FORMATION OF GROUND
BASED OZONE**

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April 5, 1999**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.115**

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action issued in connection with the above-identified application on March 3, 1999.

Prior to reconsideration of the application, please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

1. (Amended) A solvent-resin composition [having generally zero volatile organic compounds (VOCs), the composition] consisting essentially of a resin component and a solvent component, the solvent component being 5-95% by total volume of the solvent-resin composition, the solvent component being one or more [of the] zero-VOC^{and} non ozone depleting -- solvents selected from the group consisting of:

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- 1) chlorobromomethane;
 - 2) 1-bromopropane;
 - 3) methyl acetate;
 - 4) n-alkane (C12-C18);
 - 5) t-butyl acetate;
 - 6) perchloroethylene;

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